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VIA ECFS

January 31, 2013

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Lifeline and Link up Reform and Modernization, WC Docket No. 11-42; Lifeline and Linkup, WC Docket No. 03-109; Federal-State Joint Board on Universal Fund, WC Docket No. 96-45; Advancing Broadband Availability Through Digital Literacy Training, WC Docket No. 12-23

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On Thursday, January 24, 2013, Jay Stone filed an Ex Parte summarizing a telephone conversation with Jonathan Lechter on the Texas Petition to opt out of the national database. This filing corrects information in the ex-parte and in the conversation with Jonathan.

1. Duplicative Support Screening – The reported 70,000 duplicates for December 2012 did not represent duplicate Lifeline discounts but represented the number of letters sent to participants. The identified duplicate discounts sent to ETC's were 21,000 for December 2012.

Additionally, in the January 24, 2013 Ex Parte filing, it was stated that the Texas PUC recognized that a process change implemented in October resulted in a higher than anticipated number of duplicate discounts, and that the Texas PUC was working with the LIDA to refine the process.

As a result of the enhancements implemented in January 2013, the duplicative support screening process resulted in only 18 duplicate discounts. The revised process worked as anticipated, and will be utilized going forward.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/

Jay Stone, Program Administrator

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